



TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

TRANSMITTAL FORM <i>(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)</i>		Application Number	10/015,276
		Filing Date	December 11, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Hosoya, Naoki
		Art Unit	2829
		Examiner Name	Evan T. Pert
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	7	Attorney Docket Number	16869P-036200US

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to Group <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) <small>(please identify below):</small> Election of Claims in Response to Restriction Requirement Return Postcard
		Remarks The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account 20-1430.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual	Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP	Reg. No. 37,478
Signature		
Date	November 24, 2003	

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.

Typed or printed name	Cynthia McKinley		
Signature			
	Date	November 24, 2003	

60088840 v1

NOV 28 2003
PATENT & TRADEMARKS
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

On

11/24/03

TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP

By:

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Naoki Hosoya et al.

Application No.: 10/015,276

Filed: December 11, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
INSPECTING DEFECTS IN A
SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No.: 7087

Examiner: Evan T. Pert

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2829

ELECTION OF CLAIMS IN RESPONSE
TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to a restriction requirement mailed November 14, 2003, please enter the following remarks:

PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: 16869P-036200US
Client Ref. No.: 340101528US1